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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

In response to the Office Action of November 15, 2007, regarding the above-referenced matter, applicants request reconsideration for the following reasons:

The Status of the Claims is reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.